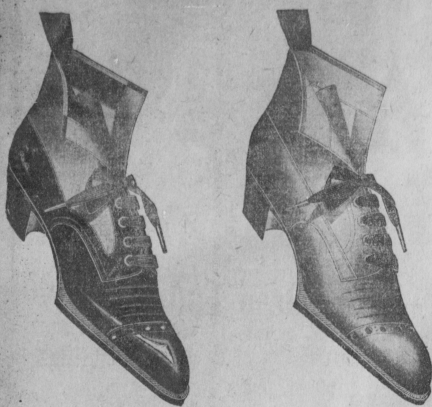


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## FISCAL COURT NEARLY OVER.

First Four Days of Term Taken Up In Considering Claims.

WILL ADJOURN TODAY.

A Spirit of Economy Possesses the Eight Squires.

The Fiscal Court, which has been in session since last Monday, expects to get through with pressing matters today and adjourn. The new court is composed of the following magistrates, all of whom have been in attendance this week: Democrats—J. F. Dixon, A. J. Estes, W. W. Garrett, J. M. Morris, W. L. Parker. Republicans—H. B. Clark, J. H. Moore, John W. Rodgers.

The examination of a large number of claims practically took up the first four days of the time of the court. Up to adjournment Thursday afternoon claims aggregating \$5,000 had been approved and ordered to be paid out of the 1906 levy.

The election held last year for county officers cost a great deal of money, and of course the levy for paying officers of election caused a larger increase in the amount to be voted out of the county treasury than usual. The policy of the court indicates a spirit of economy and we think the taxpayers will have no occasion for the coming four years to complain of recklessness in spending the money of our taxpayers.

Making the levy for the year 1906 was the first business to be disposed of at the meeting of the court yesterday morning. Many of the magistrates are new men at the wheel, and would naturally want to inquire into every detail, and besides it always requires a great deal of thought and deliberation to anticipate what amount of money will be necessary to meet future exigencies and known expenses.

Every member of the court has been in high good humor and the Republican minority—something very, very unusual to write—is treated with the utmost kindness by "the Democratic members." In fact, not an unpleasant word has been spoken during the deliberations of the body. No doubt this fraternal feeling will continue and the guardians of the county's interests, presided over by the liberal-minded and dignified Judge Breathitt, should lay aside, and no doubt will, all partisan feeling and work together for the common good of all.

The Court up to the hour of our going to press had not disposed of the levy question. From members of the court to whom the subject was mentioned we gleaned enough to warrant us in saying that, owing to the financial condition of the county, the rate of taxation will be the same as last year—poll tax \$1.50; State and county purposes 50 cents each. The matter will be disposed of today before the court adjourns.

### ABSOLUTE DIVORCE

Granted to Maj. Cyrus S. Radford of Philadelphia.

Maj. Cyrus S. Radford, who was several years ago granted a divorce from his wife, Florence Robertson Radford, but was required to pay alimony, has been relieved from further payment and the divorce made absolute, by a decision in circuit court yesterday. The couple separated about five years ago. The former wife has been living in New York and Maj. Radford is at present stationed at Philadelphia. The case has been a long drawn out one. Maj. Radford seeking to obtain relief from the heavy alimony the former decree required him to pay. This could not be obtained until five years had elapsed. Maj. Radford's home is in this county. He was appointed a naval cadet in 1886 and has risen a prominence in the service.

## FOR BENEFIT OF POWERS.

Bill Introduced in Congress to Protect State Criminals.

TO SAVE KY. ASSASSINS.

Provides for Transfer of Criminal Cases to Federal Court.

Washington, April 6.—The bill for the benefit of Caleb Powers, upon which John W. Langley and several other former Kentucky Republicans have been at work, was introduced yesterday by Representative Hughes, of West Virginia. The bill proposes the amendment of section 64, revised statutes, to make it read that when a defendant in a criminal action cannot enforce his rights in a State court "because of prejudice of by reason of illegal or corrupt acts of the court wherein the suit is pending or of the officers thereof is unable to secure a fair trial," the Federal courts may take jurisdiction upon the petition of the defendant in the State court. "The act shall take effect from and after its passage and include all cases now pending for trial in any State court," is the language of the last clause.

Mr. Langley and probably one of Powers' attorneys will be heard upon the bill before the Judiciary Committee. If the bill should be reported to the House it would occasion a general discussion of the Powers case, in which Representative James would probably take part. It is not considered probable that the bill be reported favorably as its passage would virtually abolish the power of State courts by allowing the indiscriminate transference of cases to Federal courts.

### STRAY BALL

Passes Through Window of Kress' Store.

A bullet that passed through a rear window of Kress & Company's store Thursday afternoon, came dangerously near the head of Mr. F. W. Eldridge, the manager of the establishment.

The ball entered the frosted glass about two feet below the ceiling, and ranging upward, struck the metal, when its force was well spent, and it fell to the floor in the front part of the building. Mr. Eldridge was sitting at his desk in his office at the time and the leaden missile passed within a few inches of the top of his head. The ball was shot from a 22-caliber rifle and came from the direction of West Eighth and Water streets. It is thought that it was a stray bullet, fired, probably, at a bird or some other object. Manager Eldridge, however, certainly had a very close call.

### SUBURBAN SERVICE

To Be Inaugurated Between Here and Crofton.

Hopkinsville is soon to have a better passenger service on the L. & N. from the North. It is learned that in a few days the old local freight run between Evansville and Nashville will be resumed and these trains will carry passengers between this city and Crofton. The train South will arrive here between 8 and 9 a. m., daily, except Sunday, and the North bound train will depart some time between 2 and 4 o'clock each afternoon except Sunday. This will prove a great convenience to the traveling public, and especially to the people living near Crofton and Kelly.

Lieut. Gov. Thorne will occupy the executive chair while Gov. Beckham and family are recuperating at French Lick Springs for ten days.

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Apples, per peck, 75c.  
 Beans, white, per lb., 5c.  
 Coffee, Arbuckle's, per lb., 17c.  
 Coffee, roasted, 20c to 35c.  
 Coffee, green, 12½c to 25c.  
 Tea, green, per lb., 60 to 80c.  
 Tea, black, per lb., 40c to 50c.  
 Cheese, cream, 20c lb., straight.  
 Pine Apple, 65c to \$1.25.  
 Edam, \$1.25.  
 Sweetener, 50c lb.  
 Sugar, granulated, 17 lbs., \$1.00.  
 Sugar, light brown, 17 lbs., \$1.00.  
 Sugar, dark brown, 20 lbs., \$1.00.  
 Sugar, Cuba, 20 lbs., for \$1.00.  
 Sugar, XXXX, 20 lbs., for \$1.00.  
 Flour, patent, per bbl., \$4.50.  
 Flour, family, per bbl., \$4.00.  
 Graham, per 100 lbs., \$3.20.  
 Meal, per bushel, 70c.  
 Hominy, 20c gallon.  
 Grits, 20c gallon.  
 Oat Flakes, package, 10c to 15c.  
 Oat Flakes, bulk, 5c lb.

## VEGETABLES.

Sweet potatoes, per peck, 25c.  
 Irish potatoes, per peck, 25c.  
 Cabbage, per lb., 3c.  
 Onions, per peck, 30c.  
 Turnips, peck, 20c.  
 Celery, 5c and 10c a bunch.

## CANNED GOODS.

Cranberries, per quart 20c.  
 Corn, per doz. cans, \$1.00 to \$1.50.  
 Tomatoes, 12 cans, \$1.00 to \$1.50.  
 Peas, from 10c to 30c per can.  
 Hominy, 10c per can.  
 Pork and Beans, 10c and 15c.  
 Apples, gallon can, 35c.  
 Beets, per can, 10c.  
 Kidney Beans, 10c can.  
 Lima Beans, per can, 10c.  
 Korona, per can, 20c.  
 Squash, per can, 10c.  
 Peaches, 10c to 40c per can.  
 Apricots, per can, 25c to 35c.  
 Pear, per can, 10c to 35c.  
 Pinesberries, per can, 25c to 35c.  
 Strawberries, per can, 30c to 45c.  
 Cherry/Gage Plums, per can, 25c.  
 Green, per lb., 20c and 25c.  
 Butters, 10c.  
 Packaged, per lb., 10c.  
 Raisins, 10c and 15c package.  
 Raisins, layer, 15c lb.  
 Evaporated Peaches, 15c lb.  
 Evaporated Apples, 10c lb.  
 Evap. Apricots, 15c @ 20c lb.  
 Prunes, 10c per lb.

## COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Hams, country, per lb., 15c.  
 Packers' hams, per lb., 15c.  
 Shoulders, per lb., 10c.  
 Sides, per lb., 10c.  
 Lard, per lb., 12½c.  
 Honey, per lb., 12½c.

## POULTRY.

Eggs, 12c doz.  
 Hens, 9c lb.  
 Young Chickens, each 15c to 30c.  
 Turkeys, fat, per lb., 8½c to 10c.  
 Ducks, per lb., 8c.  
 Roosters, per lb., 4c.  
 Full feather geese, per doz., \$3.50.

## Wholesale Prices.

## GRAIN.

No. 2 Northern mixed oats, per bushel, 45c; No. 1 Timothy hay, per ton, \$16.00; No. 2 Timothy hay, per ton, \$10.00; No. 1 Clover Hay, per ton, \$12.00; Mixed Clover Hay and Timothy hay, per ton, \$12.50.

## POULTRY, EGGS AND BUTTER.

Prices paid by wholesale dealers to the producers and dairymen:  
 Live Poultry—Hens, per lb., 9c; large springs, lb., 9c.  
 Butter—Packing, packing stock, per lb., 12c.  
 Eggs—Per dozen, 12c.

## ROOTS, HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW.

Prices paid by wholesale dealers to butchers and farmers:

Roots—Southern ginseng, \$6.00 lb.; "Golden Seal" yellow root, 90c lb.; May apple, 2c; pink root, 12c and 13c.

Tallow—No. 1, 4c; No. 3, 3½c.

Wool—Burry 12 to 20; Clear Grease, 25c to 30c; Medium, tub-washed, 35c to 40c; Coarse, dingy, tub-washed, 35c to 36c; Black wool 24c.

Feathers—Prime white goose, 45c; dark and mixed old goose, 25c to 35c; gray mixed, 15c to 30c; white duck, 35c.

Hides and Skins—These quotations are for Kentucky hides: Southern green hides 1-4c lower. We quote assorted lots; dry flint, No. 1, 16c to 18c; No. 2, 14c; round lots green salted beef hides, 8c.

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 ture in Florida.

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His Home Paper Contains  
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 tice of His Candidacy.

Mr. Wallace E. Embry, who moved from South Christian to Dade City, Fla., some years ago, has announced himself as a candidate for Representative from Pasco county. Concerning his candidacy, the Dade City Democrat has the following complimentary notice:

"Mr. W. E. Embry has entered the race for Representative of Pasco county in the next Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. In this land of the free, no time honored power can beat down aspiration or humble, honorable ambition. Here the battle is to the brave of heart and true of soul. No more patriotic or honest man than W. E. Embry lives in this county. Self-poised and conscientious, no amount of popular clamor can drive him from his duty, no amount of praise can cajole him into the commission of wrong. His devotion and integrity to Democratic principles have never been questioned, his ability and tireless energy are commensurate with the duties of the high office he seeks. Favoring a reduction of taxation, the enlarged usefulness of our public schools and an economical administration of our State government, he will resist the lavish expenditure of the public money, the waste of our public domain and curtail the encroachment of corporate power by advocating such legislation as will amplify the powers of the railroad commission."

## MRS. CHILTON.

Gifted Southern Woman  
 meets Appreciative  
 Audience.

"The best of the whole course," "The finest with the exception of Sousa," "Nothing like it since the days of Murdoch." The above and similar expressions have been heard in regard to Mrs. William Calvin Chilton's reading at the Tabernacle last Tuesday night. A Southern woman met a Southern audience and it was charmed by her interpretations. A man of her genius and attract-

ive person is not often seen. Though a little hoarse and bothered with a slight cough, from the first few words spoken she claimed the closest attention of her auditors throughout. She will never meet a more appreciative audience than she had Tuesday night.

Manager McPherson in giving an extra number in the course is to be congratulated on securing Mrs. Chilton for the closing night.

In this connection we are asked by Mr. McPherson to request the ticket holders and others, to fill out the blanks that have been furnished, which will give him a basis on which to work in securing his attractions for the next winter's course. He is deeply in earnest in this, as he wants to give the people in the future the class of entertainments they most prefer and without the people express their choice he will be unable to learn it. If you haven't been supplied with a blank he will gladly furnish you during business hours at the Bank of Hopkinsville. Help the manager in this way to give us good attractions for next winter.

## Short Bits of News.

Three Henderson youths who took a skiff and started down the Ohio river, bound for the gulf, were overtaken a few miles from home and taken back and severely whipped.

A justice of the peace in Graves county is said to have performed a marriage ceremony in just one minute and best the record.

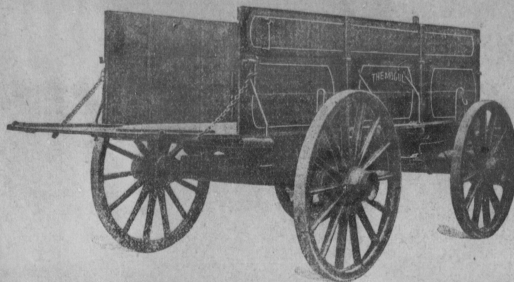
The Cumberland Telephone Company has applied for a new 25-year franchise at Harrodsburg and will raise rates. There is said to be serious trouble brewing over it.

While attempting to milk an unruly cow, a farmer near Vine Grove, Ky., had four ribs broken by the animal, who also broke her own neck by attempting to turn around in the narrow stall.

A Henderson county farmer sold 30 steers which averaged 1,050 each, and 70 hogs which averaged 200 pounds each. He got 5 cents per pound for the steers and 6 for the hogs.

McClure's for April has the freshness and cheerfulness of spring. You will want to read it all. Its articles, stories and verses, have a rare charm for the shortening evenings. Mary Stewart Cutting's "Symphony in Coal," which heads the table of contents, is another of those fascinating, sympathetic stories of married life. The most hair-raising chapter of adventure that has been published in a long time is the sixth installment of Carl Schurz's "Reminiscences of a Long Life." "Rescuing Kinkel from Spandau Jail" is a story of intrigue and hair-breadth chances in the shadow of the gallows, told with the happy swing of youth, that holds you from first word to last. Best of all it is true.

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The special will be first-class in every particular and will consist of Pullman Sleeping Cars and Free Reclining Chair Cars, and will be joined enroute by the Cadiz, Uniontown and Morganfield, Ky., camps and their friends, who will also be furnished with special cars.

The rate from Hopkinsville will be only \$13.00 for the round trip. All tickets will be good returning until April 30th, 1906, but an extension of limit to May 21st, 1906 may be secured by depositing ticket with Joint Agent at New Orleans not later than April 30th and paying fifty cents.

Between Memphis and New Orleans tickets will be accepted via either the Illinois Central or the Y. & M. V. Ry., in either direction. The Y. & M. V. Ry. passes through Vicksburg, Baton Rouge, etc., and stop overs will be given to visit any point of interest desired.

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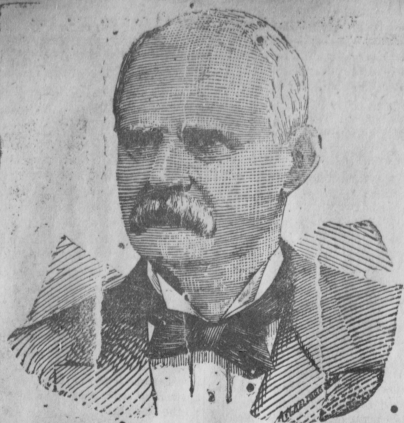
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Former Vice-President of the United States who has notified the Louisville Commercial Club that he will visit that city during "Home Coming" week in June. It is very probable that the former Vice-President will also visit relatives in this county before he returns to Illinois.

### MOST RULERS USE WEED.

Sultan Does Not, Edward Likes Cigars, William Cigarettes—Robles of Others.

A man formerly connected with one of the foreign legations in Washington has been at some pains to compile data on the smoking habits of the leading potentates of the world. From this interesting mass of information it is learned that King Edward of Great Britain and the Austrian emperor prefer cigars and the kaiser of Germany and the czar of Russia are devotees of the cigarette, while the sultan of Turkey never touches tobacco, in spite of the popular impression to the contrary.

King Leopold of Belgium contents himself with a cigarette when he is unable to lay hands upon one of his favorite briarwood pipes. Even the pope smokes, so it is said, and is the pontiff of the Roman Catholic church to indulge in cigars, his predecessors, notably Pius IX. and Leo XIII., having contented themselves with snuff.

In Abyssinia smoking in any form is regarded as a heinous crime entailing all sorts of horrible penalties, least among which was until a short time ago, and which was still in the slicing off of the lips and nose of the offender.

With the exception of Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, the king of Bavaria and the sultan of Turkey at Stambul, every now regnant monarch is addicted to the use of tobacco. Emperor William smokes cigarettes of large size in great numbers, made especially for him in the suburbs of Berlin. Despite the fact that the kaiser is afflicted with an affection of the larynx, his doctors make no objection to his using cigarettes, approving them in the light of a wholesome sedative.

Years ago King Edward was exceedingly fond of cigarettes and smoked them in great quantities, though of late they have been supplanted by cigars, and nowadays it is said he is seldom seen without a large black Havana between his teeth. The king has reached his sixty-fourth year and has been an inveterate smoker since attaining manhood.

Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary has managed to hold together for 50 years or more the discordant racial elements in Hungary and Vienna, during which time he has been an inveterate smoker, his favorite form of the weed being those long cigars known in Austria as Virginias, which have a straw through them in order to enable them to draw and have to be held in the flame of a spirit lamp for a moment or two before they can be lighted.

It is said that King Charles of Portugal smokes 40 cigars a day and has been declared to be the most inveterate smoker of all the "anointed of the Lord" in the old world.

The compiler of the foregoing information says that the influence of tobacco upon the course of political events has been almost invariably of a beneficial character. "Not only have the narcotic properties tended to soothe the angry

### RACE SUICIDE IN FRANCE.

Statistics Show That the Birth Rate Is Decreasing Every Year in That Country.

Serious public opinion in France is much moved by the publication of figures showing that the increase in population for the last year is lower than ever before, says the Pall Mall Gazette. The term "depopulation" is very commonly used, but it is hardly correct, since the population is not absolutely decreasing, but remaining stationary. Eight hundred thousand children were born in 1904. Each year since the war there has been a regular retrogression. The figures were higher in 1903 than in 1904 and higher again in 1902 than in 1903.

Immediately after the war the births averaged 960,000; to-day the figures are 818,000, or 142,000 less. There is no reason to suppose that the family spirit is awakening in France; there, in another 30 years, the 800,000 will have shrunk by another 150,000. The death rate has slightly increased, but is not in any sense abnormal. It represents 761,000 in place of 753,000 last year. Consequently, the insignificant margin of 57,000 separates the coming France from the departing France, the births from the deaths.

The importance of such figures is always relative. What are the vital statistics of the neighbors of France? In 1903, the last figures available, England had over 1,000,000 births. That represents a net increase of population of 500,000—that is to say, ten times the figures of France. From a political sense greater importance attaches to the tables of Germany. The land of the kaiser has increased 800,000 inhabitants, so that in two years she could people Alsace-Lorraine with a new population. The enormous progress made by Germany in the numbers of her people stands revealed when one takes a general look at the statistics for the last 50 years.

In 1850 France and Germany had a population that was practically equal, say 35,000,000. To-day the one is 38,000,000 or 39,000,000, the other is 60,000,000. These are very significant figures, upon which it is impossible not to ruminate. This difference in population accounts for a great deal. It explains the necessity of German expansion—the restless desire for fresh fields and pastures new. It explains, also, the other side of the shield—the recent "frouse" this country had when the war lord lifted up his sword in the direction of the Vosges.

It is obvious that France can never become a real colonizing power with a "new population" that is diminishing. These things are well understood by enlightened public opinion here, but, unfortunately, no one has been able to suggest a scientific remedy. M. Piot, the well-known senator, labors in season and out of season regarding the gospel of large families, but no one pays attention except to send the good man a shower of comic cards at the New Year. But his remedies, such as they are—bonuses for the fathers of large families and medals for the mothers—can but touch the fringe of the question. The real reason is not economic, though of course the division of property among the children under French law has something to do with it; it goes much deeper than that.

Civilization—if that is the right name for it—or at least the knowledge of good and evil, has reached a point in France unattained by any other nation. Doctrines touching upon the limitation of population are openly discussed and the child is not brought into the world unless there is at least a pewer spoon in its mouth. It is the excess of thrift, the overcare for the morrow, that is the secret of the situation.

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### The Weather.

For Kentucky—Generally fair and warmer Saturday.

Girls of Dallas, Texas, have formed an anti-kissing club.

Gov. Jeff Davis was nominated for Senator of Arkansas by 10,000 majority over Senator J. H. Berry.

Louisville in the three months ending April 18, made a record of 14 murders, 15 suicides and 38 deaths from accident.

The re-interment of the body of Paul Jones will take place at Annapolis April 23. Many distinguished naval officers will participate in the ceremonies.

Sentinel Mason, of Illinois, wants to write somebody because a love-letter written by his daughter to a young man some years ago has found its way into print.

A delegation of ninety-one Wisconsin veterans headed by Gov. Davidson, attended the unveiling of a battle monument at Shiloh this week.

Mayor David S. Rose, heretofore invincible, in his contest for a fifth term as mayor of Milwaukee was defeated by M. M. Becker, a young Republican, with two other candidates in the race.

The fiscal court of Muhlenberg county will on April 10, consider a proposition to move the county seat from Greenville to Central City. The railroad town will make a strong pull to get the new court house about to be built.

Jim Howard upon being put to work in the Frankfort prison was assigned as off-bearer to the planer in the sand-room and told several prisoners he had been in training for the work for several months.

It is becoming plainer and plainer each day that the judiciary of Kentucky must be divorced from politics. The political judge is a stench in the nostrils of justice.—Owensboro Messenger.

It doesn't matter so much what the judge's politics may be if he is incorruptible as a man and a public officer.

Secretary R. E. Hughes, of the Louisville Home Coming Committee, explains the arrangement by which tickets must be validated only in Louisville: "It took us two months to get the Central Passenger Association to agree to a one fare rate for the round trip and we have not yet secured a similar rate from the other Passenger Associations. If the railroads were requested to grant this rate to every county seat in Kentucky, without regard to the strength of the passenger movement from different sections, they would certainly turn down the request. When I tell you that our "Home Coming" events, such as those that have been held in New England for the past twenty years, have only had a rate of one and one-third for the round trip, you will see how effective our work has been and how necessary for us to centralize it. It was at our suggestion that counties throughout the State began to take up the question of having county "Home Comings" following "Home Coming Week." \* \* \* The visitors will be in Louisville only four days. In addition to arranging for railroad rates into Louisville, we have arranged with the Kentucky line on the same basis, that is, one fare for the round trip to all points in Kentucky, tickets good until July 23rd. Thus, Louisville has the visitors for four days and the outside districts have the visitors for thirty-six days." This arrangement seems to remove the objections urged by members of the local Commercial Club. The Kentuckian disclaims any disposition

Commissioners have been named by the Governor to locate the normal schools, as follows, each appellate district of Kentucky being represented: George Payne, of Paducah; George B. Edwards, of Russellville; Basil H. Richardson, of Glasgow; E. H. Mark, of Louisville; B. M. Arnett, of Nicholasville; John S. Morris, of Covington; M. G. Watson, of Louisville. The commission will locate two schools in compliance with an act passed by the recent General Assembly. Richmond, Bowling Green and Frankfort will offer sites. After the schools are located the duties of the commission will be at an end, after which Gov. Beckham will name a board of regents, of four members, for each school.

The Third congressional district executive committee will meet April 14 at Bowling Green, Ky., to arrange for nominating a congressional candidate. J. M. Richardson, the incumbent, may not have any opposition, even from the Republicans.

Florence Parker, of Tucson, Arizona, has just been aroused from a sleep of seven weeks that was a great puzzle to the doctors. She gradually recovered consciousness after all efforts to arouse her had failed.

Miss Viola May Black, of Mt. Vernon Ind., backed out after M. A. Daniels had procured license for their marriage. Mr. Daniels returned the paper marked "no property found."

### SHORTAGE ALLEGED

That the Trigg County Grand Jury May Investigate.

There has been much talk since the first of the year about an alleged shortage in the affairs of one of the best officers of Trigg county, who retired from one office to enter upon the duties of another with the advent of the new year. The shortage is said to be anywhere from \$4,596.24 to \$6,000, which is secured by a guaranty company of Baltimore. Efforts have been made to keep the condition of affairs from becoming public, but the near approach of the time when the grand jury will meet is causing a good deal of speculation as to what action that body will take. The guaranty company, it is understood, will fight the case vigorously if it is called upon to make good the shortage. Sensational disclosures are expected, unless the matter is adjusted without proceedings in the courts.

**SHOE FACTORY**  
Committee at Work Raising Funds.

A meeting of the gentlemen directly interested in building a shoe factory here was held Thursday afternoon. Mr. T. H. Callahan was present and every detail was discussed. It is the intention of those interested and working hardest for the success of the enterprise and in raising the necessary \$50,000, to leave nothing undone to bring the matter to a satisfactory result in a few days. With this in view a soliciting committee has been appointed, and as more than half the amount has already been signed for, it is safe to say that the factory is almost an assured thing.

**FRIGHTFUL SUICIDE.**  
Lewisville, Tex., April 5.—Mrs. W. H. Claiborne, widow of the late W. H. Claiborne, living ten miles west of Lewisville, last night saturated her clothing with turpentine and went out into the lot, climbed into a box, set fire to her clothing and was burned to death. Her remains were not found until today.

**Plucky School Marm.**  
Ed Carpenter and Bud Tibbs opened fire on Ryan school house, three miles from Flemingsburg, yesterday, and the teacher, Miss Effie Schultz, aged eighteen years, told the pupils, thirty in number, to lie on the floor. She jumped from a rear window, ran nearly a half mile, summoned the Sheriff, who with a posse, captured the desperadoes.

**Died of Broken Heart.**  
Miss Mollie Moore died of a broken heart at Mayville, Ky. Ten days ago her sister died and left three children. Miss Moore was so com-

## DEATH'S DOINGS.

Five Victim's of the Grim Reaper Since Last Report.

### ONE AN OCTOGENARIAN.

Old Age, Pneumonia and Cancer, Cause Havoc Among Populace.

Mrs. Stewart, mother of L. B. Stewart, who was formerly in the grocery business at Pembroke, died at her home near Elmo Wednesday, aged 87 years. Death was due to ailments incident to advanced age. The remains were interred near Gracy.

MRS. A. O. LACKEY.  
Mrs. A. O. Lackey died of pneumonia at her home at Casky Wednesday afternoon aged 65 years. Her husband and five children survive. Deceased was a sister of our esteemed townsmen, R. T. and F. M. Chilton. She was a consecrated member of the Baptist church and a most excellent lady.—Pembroke Journal.

**VICTIM OF CANCER.**  
Mrs. J. K. Thomas died at her home near Clardy Tuesday, after a long illness of cancer of the stomach. She was a member of the Christian church and is survived by her husband and eight children. Interment in the family burying ground Wednesday.

**DIED OF PNEUMONIA.**  
Mr. Barefield Warren died near Cerulean Tuesday, after a brief illness of pneumonia. He was about forty years old and is survived by his widow and several children. Mr. Warren had been living in Illinois for several years, but recently moved back to the Cerulean neighborhood.

**RELATIVES IN CHRISTIAN.**  
Mrs. Carrie Logan, wife of G. W. Logan, formerly of Canton, died in Nashville a few days ago. Mrs. Logan was a daughter of the late Edward Lackey, of Trigg county, and has numerous relatives in Christian county. She was a member of the Methodist church and leaves her husband and three children.

### BAPTIST GATHERINGS.

Big Meeting Postponed and Changed to Jamestown.

The general Baptist Convention of America, which was to have been held in Louisville May 15 and 16 has been postponed one year. Instead of meeting in Louisville it will be held in the vicinity of Jamestown, Va., so that those who attend may take advantage of the reduced rates and also attend the exposition. As a compromise to Louisville for losing this year's convention it was tacitly agreed that the general convention should be held here in 1909 simultaneously with the celebration of the semi-centennial of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. The Southern Baptist Convention, will meet in Chattanooga, Tenn., next month.

**Grain Market.**  
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May... 45 45 45 45  
July... 45 45 45 45  
Oats...  
May... 31 31 31 31  
July... 29 29 29 29

### LOCAL LEAFLETS.

The trees are full of peach blooms, and they are not "dead."  
The "Old Vets" are already arranging for their trip to New Orleans.

To-morrow week will be Easter Sunday. The day will be observed by most of the churches.

Is Hopkinsville to have a homecoming day during homecoming week or not? It looks like we are not.

Next month has not an r in it, and it takes one r to spell oyster, we won't have oysters any more until fall.

Where does all the mud on the streets come from? Is about as unanswerable a question as where do all the pins go.

Spring chickens are—hatching and spring lambs are being brought in and it won't be long before strawberries will be brought here from the South.

The first date for holding the K. of P. and Firemen's carnival has been set aside and another date, a little later in May, will be announced as soon as arrangements are completed.

Bowling Green, Frankfort and Richmond will offer building sites for the two Normal schools to be built by the State under the recent law. Here's a chance for the Commercial Club to do something for Hopkinsville.

Edison has invented a new cement with which he claims houses can be built and ready for plumbing in one day at one tenth the cost of other houses. Hopkinsville is needing cheap houses and will take a few right away, if we can get them.

During the first three days of this week the swish of the saw, the blow of the hammer and the ring of the trowel was heard in almost every direction. Just wait a few days more and things will wake up sure enough.

Spring hats are being considerably worn, but the variety of sizes, colors and shapes give not the remotest suggestion as to whether there is really to be any prevailing style. It seems to be a sort of "free for all" opportunity for some milliner to evolve something new in the way of headwear for the ladies.

There is a contention between the geologists and the physicists as to whether the earth is 20,000,000, or 1,000,000,000 years old. Whether the world's birth dates back that far or not, is immaterial. What the people want to know most is how much older than the world are some of the jokes that are touched off in the declining days of the present term of circuit court.

Judge Landes sticks to his opinion that a minister must secure a license in his county to solemnize. When he made this statement a few weeks ago he gave it as an opinion and not as a judicial utterance. He says the statutes give a lawyer the privilege of practicing in any of the counties of the State, or the Court of Appeals. He says that marriages performed by ministers without obtaining license in the county where the parties reside does not render the marriage illegal, but the minister violates the law in not obtaining license.

**GRANGE SALE**  
Will Be Held At Church Hill on May 11th.

The annual sale of Church Hill Grange will be held this year on the second Friday in May, the 11th day of the month. An unusually large lot of stock will be for sale and by reason of the mild winter will be in much better condition than usual.

**Kicked By a Mule.**  
The 7-year old son of Douglas Whitehead, of near White Plains, was kicked in the abdomen by a mule and is in a serious condition. He was currying the animal when it turned on him.

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The time has come to give the city a thorough spring cleaning and to keep it clean. All persons who have allowed ashes or other refuse to be dumped into the streets or alleys about their premises are hereby ordered to have same removed within ten days, whether in the business or residence portions of the city. The penalty against this offense will be enforced on and after April 15th. It is likewise forbidden by ordinance to empty waste baskets or sweep paper scraps into the streets and this ordinance will also be hereafter enforced.  
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"A Royal Slave", which has created a sensation among playgoers of this country for two seasons, will be the attraction at Holland's Opera next Monday night, April 9, with the same great cast and beautiful scenic effects that has made it so conspicuous and will be one of the notable events of the theatrical season in this city. It is seldom that local playgoers of this country have such an opportunity of seeing one of the best things in the amusement world and it is to be hoped that Manager Ennis' efforts in securing this excellent attraction will be appreciated.

The Y. C. C. Cinderella Musical Comedy Co. will appear at the Opera House, April 12, matinee and night, presenting the musical comedy "Cinderella," an entertainment that appeals to all classes. The scenes are not laid in Korea or some other unknown country that the average theatregoers know nothing about, but right here in good old America. The best advice that could be given those not conversant with a high class musical comedy would be; for a way down, deep hearty laugh, and jingly, whistley music, and beauty chorus, see the blithesome, gloom-dispelling Cinderella, which the above company will present here.

## BOSS CAT STORY.

### Indiana Correspondent Tells Startling Tale.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., April 4.—Harry Blythe has a cat whose jet black hair has suddenly turned grey under peculiar circumstances. It is a tom cat, and is nicknamed "Ice Box Jim," because of its predilection to hover close to the receptacle of delicacies.

While "Ice Box Jim" lay snoozing the other day he was awakened by the barking of a big bulldog which had entered the store. Cat and dog faced each other for a moment, then there began a race for life. "Ice Box Jim," with the bulldog in hot pursuit, jumped on counters, boxes and shelves and finally managed to make his exit from the store, followed by the canine.

The cat ran up an electric pole and remained there for several minutes, maneuvering around anxiously to come down to a place of safety, when suddenly he fell as though shot dead. Blythe thought his cat had been electrocuted. He picked up the limp body and laid it on the counter in his store. One of its nine lives, however, returned and the feline is as well as ever, only its hair is turned to a perfect grey and that it now avoids climbings of the electric pole.

## PEANUTS VS. PORK.

### South Takes a Leaf From the West's Book of Prosperity.

Notwithstanding the difference between the prices paid for wheat and corn, the latter commodity, by reason of its immense volume, yields to the country the larger gross income. When the corn crop is unusually large and prices not unusually low, the western farmer prospers and in turn the railroads through his territory pay dividends; manufacturers make money and the commercial conditions generally are good.

It requires only a short memory to recall the time when corn, year after year, was burned for fuel, or allowed to rot ungathered in the fields. This was when corn was fed to cattle and meal entered very little into the diet list of man. The west used some corn, so did the south, but in the east it was almost unknown and Europeans regarded it as unfit for food.

The grit, determination and energy of the west was concentrated to conquer this condition and a united move was engineered to instruct non-users of corn how this important food product might be utilized.

Western expositions, state fairs, and country shows had corn palaces, and representatives were sent to the Atlantic seaboard and across the ocean, exhibiting at all the great centers corn and its products. Now that cereal is never burnt unless a careless cook forgets her duty.

At the Jamestown exposition the southerners have determined to emulate the wisdom of their western brethren and will erect an immense peanut palace where this esculent tuber will hold sway.

German chemists have recently proven the nutritive value of the peanut and the ration of the soldier contains sausages made of peanuts. It is very nutritious, pleasing to the taste, and contains more units of food energy than a sausage of similar size made from pork.

The peanut as ordinarily used roasted, is undoubtedly toothsome and a gentle soporific. Most mild cases of insomnia yield to a late supper of peanuts. In candy it is known to many, but its use by no means general. Peanut butter, peanut brittle, ground peanuts for sandwiches, have a certain vogue, but it is restricted.

The by-products of peanuts are many and useful, yet year after year, peanut planters use their plants as fertilizing material, cutting them down and plowing them under to enrich the earth. The peanut palace of the Jamestown Exposition is intended, like the corn palaces of the west, to be not a final undertaking, but the beginning of a movement in bringing to the peanut its due mead of appreciation.

## Wool Market.

Reported by D. Davis & Son, Graders of Wool for Manufacturers, Louisville, Ky.

[For the Kentuckian.]

Louisville, April 5.—We have had a few days of fair warm weather which always makes the outlook for the shearing better, as the farmers cannot shear during wet weather and it is dangerous to shear too early.

Reports from various sections indicate that sheep have wintered well and with the dog law in force they should thrive from now on. The wool market has been characterized by its firmness and steadiness and indications are that we will want the clip at full prices.

Reports from foreign markets are quite strong. There was a probability of the miners' strike affecting price prospects but it is on the fair road to settlement.

Manufacturers are meeting with fair success in marketing their product. We advise growers in shearing to take pains in shearing, avoiding chaff in the wool and shear when fleece is dry. Would advise prompt marketing of clips by farmers.

Prices will probably be as follows: Good clear tub washed wool, 38 to 40 Burry tub washed wool, - 22 to 30 Good clear grease wool, - 29 to 30 Black wool, - - - - 24 to 26 Light burry wool, - - - 20 to 25 Coarse cotted wool, - - 23 to 27

The Louisville Regiment of State Guards will elect a colonel next Wednesday night. Col. W. B. Halderman is a candidate.

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### What He Was Worth.

This story is told about Robert Burns. Burns was standing on a long pier on the water front of Edinburgh. A well-known and wealthy merchant, walking by, stumbled and fell into the water. He could not swim and so sank. When he arose for the third time, nobody dared to save him, but an old weather-beaten sailor, at the risk of his own life, ran up the pier, and, jumping in, rescued the man. The gentleman had been worked over quite awhile before he became conscious, and when he realized the situation he rewarded the rescuer with what in our money would amount to 25 cents. At this the crowd which had gathered, knowing his wealth, booed and jeered. But Burns, who was standing by, quoted them and said: "Surely the gentleman knows what his life is worth!"

## CIRCUIT COURT ADJOURNED.

Six Weeks Session Came to a Close on Yesterday.

## PRISONERS SENTENCED

Case of Crabtree Against Sisk Decided In Favor of Defendant.

Circuit court adjourned yesterday after a very busy session of six weeks.

One of the most interesting cases tried at the term was that of James Crabtree against J. N. Sisk and others, in which Crabtree sued defendants for some four or five hundred dollars, alleged to be due as a balance on two notes. Sisk denied owing any balance and claimed that Crabtree owed him. The case was warmly contested, the trial occupying two days. The court sustained Sisk's contention, dismissing Crabtree's petition, and awarding Sisk \$201.68. An appeal was asked for to the Court of Appeals, and granted. Judges Breathitt and Fowler represented Crabtree. Sisk was represented by Judge C. H. Bush and Wood & Son.

On Thursday session was passed on the six negroes convicted at the term. They were as follows: Geo. Johnson, murder, life; Ed Greenwade, Alfred Lisany and Charles Burris, voluntary manslaughter, five, ten and twenty-one years, respectively; Ed. Pendleton, house-breaking, two years, and William Mackey, burglary, five years. Greenwade and Lisany asked for new trials, which were refused, but both were granted appeals. This will act as a suspension of judgment and they will remain in jail here until the Court of Appeals passes upon their cases. The other four men will be taken to Eddyville either tomorrow or Monday.

## ARCHITECT COLLINS:

Examines and Makes Favorable Report on Condition of Y. M. C. A. Building.

It will be but a short time before the Y. M. C. A. building will be under roof. It will be a handsome building and the furnishings will be in keeping with the appearance of the building. Mr. Val P. Collins, architect, has made a close inspection of the building and made the following report to the building committee:

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The carpenter has yet to sheath the roof when he will be through with his contract. The lumber used is better than the specification calls for and the workmanship first-class.

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## THREE ABLE PAPERS.

Program For May Banquet Announced and Everything in Readiness.

The regular April meeting of the Athenæum met Thursday night with the largest attendance for eleven months, attracted by the unusual strength of the program. Of the thirty members, all but eight were present. The usual dinner of five courses was served in the ordinary, after which three very carefully prepared papers were read as follows: "Bibiana," a discussion of the origin and authenticity of the Scriptures, by Rev. Edmund Harrison.

"Better Roads, a Plea for Government Aid," by Mr. Thos. J. McReynolds.

"Some Tenets of Science Anticipated by the Bible," Rev. W. L. Nourse.

The program being longer than usual, owing to the importance of the subjects discussed, the irregular discussion of the papers was dispensed with.

The program committee for the open session reported that the program for the meeting would consist of speeches by Messrs. Geo. C. Abbott, John C. Duffy, Barksdale Hamlett, Jouett Henry, Chas. M. Meacham and Ford L. Wilkinson. The new president will be toastmaster. The order of speeches will be as follows:

"The Man in the Moon"—Mr. Ford L. Wilkinson.

"Birds on the Wing"—Rev. G. C. Abbott.

"The Kentucky Colonel"—Col. Jouett Henry.

"Kinks"—Prof. Barksdale Hamlett.

"One and Won"—Mr. John C. Duffy.

"Lot's Wife"—Mr. Chas. M. Meacham.

The annual election of officers was held and the following chosen, all by acclamation. President, W. T. Fowler; Vice President, Ira L. Smith; Secretary, J. Garland Cooper.

The meeting was a most enjoyable one. At the May meeting there will be covers laid for 100 or more. Each member will bring a lady and will have the privilege of inviting one guest. The date was fixed for May 11, but this may be changed if the street fair is in progress that week.

## RACING BOARD NAMED.

Selects Col. Chinn, L. S. Cognets, Col. Young, E. F. Clay, C. F. Grainger.

Frankfort, Ky., April 6.—Gov. Beckham has announced the personnel of the State Board of Racing Commissioners, as provided for in the bill passed by the recent session of the Legislature. The members are: Col. J. P. Chinn, of Harrodsburg; Louis Des Cornets, of Lexington; Col. Milton Young, of Lexington; E. F. Clay, of Bourbon county, and Charles F. Grainger, of Louisville.

The board will be called together at once, and Col. Chinn probably elected chairman.

A secretary will be elected and the body will take up the work for which it was created.

## SPRING FEVER

Or Good Impulses Have a Hold on Law Breakers.

Things are dull in police circles. Only about half a dozen arrests have been made this month. The spring fever seems to have broken out in the ranks of the every day violators of the law, or let us hope that they have had enough punishment and are going to live better lives. It may be the calm that precedes the storm, but calm it is, and the officers

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## CHAPMAN RESIGNS.

Changes in the Madisonville Graded Schools.

The recent trouble of Prof. G. W. Chapman, for whipping a boy, has been followed by his resignation as Superintendent of the Madisonville schools. The Graphic says:

"The resignation of Prof. G. W. Chapman as Superintendent of the Madisonville Graded School was tendered Thursday night and on Friday night at the regular meeting of the Board of Education, the resignation was accepted.

Prof. Ralf B. Rubins, who has been Principal of the High School since the organization of the Graded School was unanimously elected to the Superintendency. Prof. Delmont Utley who has been Assistant Principal and Normal Instructor was unanimously elected as principal of the High School. Rev. S. R. Crockett was elected as Assistant Principal and Prof. C. M. Lutz as teacher in

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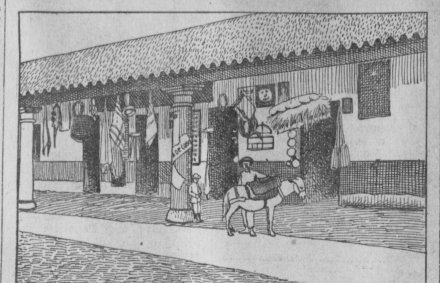
**Venezuela To-day Is a Land of Conscienceless Graft**

**Rulers That Bleed the People—One That Shared with Them—In That Fertile Land Cost of Living Made Excessive.**

A writer who has resided in the republic and made careful study of conditions there, reports that Venezuela ought to be the richest and most populous country in all South America, on account of its varied climate, its wealth of tropical and subtropical products, its excellent position in the extreme north of the continent. But it is not the richest and most populous country by any means; "on the contrary, Venezuela's trade and population have in recent years actually declined, while her reputation abroad has sunk so low that neither capital nor immigrants can be attracted to her shores."

It was in the days of Gen. Guzman Blanco foreign capital received invitation to start enterprises in Venezuela. Gen. Blanco was a man of great force and under his Venezuela enjoyed an era of wonderful prosperity. He began rule in 1870 and ruled about 20 years—a long reign for the head of a South American land. Of course in the end he was deposed and enemies headed calamity on his head, but take it all in all Blanco did much for the progress of the country.

His first step was a most wise one, seeing to the strengthening of the

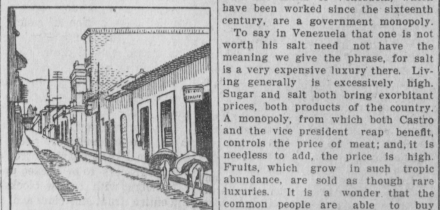


THE "CORNER STORE."

government; and that his work was put on solid foundations is proven by the length of time he was master—not all the 20 years president, but all the time his directing hand. The government stable, Blanco invited the foreign capitalist to enter the rich field of Venezuela, to exploit the mineral resources, build railroads, open banks, construct public works, engage in any pursuit that seemed profitable. He granted liberal concessions, and foreign capital poured in. Venezuela saw good times.

Destructors that arose in course of time pointed to the personal gains enjoyed by the leader, and declared that the concessions he granted were altogether too liberal and too generous. If he had been richer by a score of millions spent lavishly and with wisdom for his nation; he established schools and colleges, endowed academies of science and art, libraries, hospitals and different charitable institutions. The days of Blanco were days of progress.

But while the dictator was away, over in Paris, playing the peculiar role of ambassador extraordinary to



STREET IN CARACAS.

Europe and at the same time endeavoring to direct affairs at home by cable, the people rose against him; they threw down the statues erected in his honor, tore his portrait from the public buildings, looted his houses and plantations. But Venezuela lost in Blanco's downfall a strong leader, suffered severely from that loss. Venezuelan now count time "since Blanco."

And what has been the history of the country since then? A writer in the Canadian Magazine, names the period a period of graft, not so much given over to anarchy as to wholesale booting. Although Blanco's rule meant political absolutism, the return of a constitutional government did not eventuate in peace and prosperity. It takes a firm hand to hold down a body of Latin Americans. A country given over to political unrest and spite of such a conflict has been the fate of Venezuela the last 15 years. Blanco may have been harsh, but he gave over to the people of the republic \$25,000,000 during his reign of 20 years, but we have shown how he gave the money back to his country. Gen. Crespo, in a much longer reign, gave in addition to his fortune the sum of \$24,000,000, and failed to fol-

low Blanco's example of sharing with the people.

Crespo retired from office in favor of Andrade, but Andrade was not allowed to maintain the presidency. A revolution broke out, and Castro made hold to take the lead. Concerning Castro and the present outlook for prosperity, one is led to conclude that Castro's real pit to pile up for personal gain a greater sum than the combined Blanco and Crespo spoils, is equaled only by his ability to make bitter enemies with foreign nations. "Not content with defying the allied powers that blockaded the Venezuelan coast in 1903, he has forced the United States to take action to protect the rights of her citizens and, so far from fearing a rupture with one or all of these powers, seems almost anxious to renew hostilities." The latest Castro act of diplomacy is the move against the French.

At present conditions in the country are in a deplorable state. It looks as though the old prosperity could be restored by nothing short of a miracle. Outside enterprise is discouraged on every hand, inside enterprise seems to be non-existent. It is a fine cattle country, but the cattle raiser is

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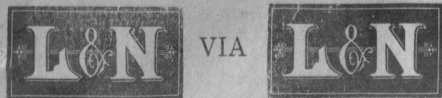
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## BOUM-BOUM.

BY JULES CLARETTE.

The child, pale and feeble, lay stretched on his little white bed and with eyes dilated by fever looked before him with the strange intensity of the sick who perceive what the healthy cannot see.

His mother, anxious and grief-stricken, stood at the foot of the bed, biting her lips to keep herself from crying, and looking sadly at the havoc wrought by the illness on the poor, thin face of the little boy. The father, an honest artisan, strove hard to restrain his burning tears.

Day dawned clear and bright, a beautiful June morning forcing its rays of light into the narrow chamber in the Rue des Abbesses, where little Francois, son of Jacques and Madeleine Legrand, lay dying. He was seven years old; less than three weeks ago he had been rosy and lively, blithe as a sparrow, but a fever had seized him and they brought him home from school with heavy head and hot hands. Since then he had lain in his bed and sometimes, looking at the well polished little shoes carefully placed in a corner by his mother, he would cry out in his delirium: "You may throw them away. Little Francois will never put on his shoes again! He will go no more to school—never any more!"

"Do you want anything, Francois?" asked his mother.

"No; nothing."

"We must draw him out of this," said the doctor; "this stupor makes me uneasy. You are his father and mother and should know him well. Find out what will revive him and bring his mind back to earth," and with this he went away.

"Try to find out, indeed!"

Jacques Legrand brought Francois pictures, gilt soldiers, shadow puzzles; he cut them out, put them on the bed, and made them dance before the little one's wandering eyes, trying to make him laugh or even smile, though himself feeling more like crying.

"Would you like a little pistol, some marbles, or a cross bow?"

"No," repeated the little voice; and to everything they said; to the dancing jacks and balloons they promised him—he replied: "No, no."

"Then what do you want, Francois?" asked his mother; "there is surely something you would like. Tell mother," and she whispered into his ear as if it were a secret.

At last little Francois sat up in bed and stretched out his arms, saying in a wistful yet imperative voice: "I want Boum-Boum!"

"Boum-Boum?"

"Yes! Boum-Boum! I want Boum-Boum!"

Boum-Boum! How well he remembered that matinee on Easter Monday, when he had taken Francois to the circus. He could still hear the boy's outburst of joy and his amused laughter when the clown, in spangles of gold, with huge, many colored, sparkling butterfly wings on his back, cut a few capers in the ring, tripped up a performer, or threw up to the chandelier some soft felt hats which he caught adroitly on his head, where they formed a pyramid, and who, at each trick, each piece of buffoonery, uttered the same cry, accompanied by the rumble of the orchestra—"Boum-Boum!"

Each time he performed the audience burst out into applause, and Francois laughed heartily. So it was this Boum-Boum, the clown, little Francois wanted to see.

That evening Legrand bought his son a jointed clown covered with spangles, which had cost him his wages for four working days. But what would he not have given to bring a saule to Francois' pale lips?

The boy looked at the toy, glittering on the white counterpane, then said, sadly: "It's not Boum-Boum! I want to see Boum-Boum!"

Ah, if only Jacques could have wrapped him up and carried him away to the circus, there to show him the clown dancing under the bright lights! He did better, however—he went to the circus, asked for the clown's address, and, with legs trembling from nervousness, entered the house of the artist in Montmartre.

"I have come to ask a most unusual thing. I beg your pardon,

sir, but it is for my little boy's sake. Such a dear little chap, sir; always top of his class, except in sums. But he is a dreamer, and a proof of that is—"

Jacques stammered and hesitated; then, summoning his courage, said, boldly:

"The truth is, that he wants to see you, sir; he thinks only of you, as of a star which he wants to have."

When he had finished the father was pale and his brow was wet. He did not dare to look at the clown, who was standing with his eyes fixed on the workman.

What was Boum-Boum going to say? Suppose he were to send Jacques away, to take him for a fool and show him the door!

"Where do you live?" asked Boum-Boum.

"O, quite near! In the Rue des Alibessies."

"Come along, then. Your boy wants to see Boum-Boum? Well, he is going to see him!"

When the door opened before the clown Jacques Legrand cried joyously to his son:

"Now you'll be happy, Francois. Look! Here is Boum-Boum!"

The child looked up with a glad face. He raised himself on his mother's arm and turned his head towards the two men, looked for a moment at the gentleman beside his father and searched the kind face which smiled at him, but which he did not know.

But when they said: "This is Boum-Boum," he fell back slowly and sadly onto his pillow, with fixed eyes staring beyond them.

"No," said the boy, in a disconsolate voice; "no, this is not Boum-Boum."

The clown, standing beside the little bed, looked down gravely and with an infinite tenderness at the face of the little sufferer. He nodded his head, looked at the anxious father and grief-stricken mother, said, smiling: "He is quite right; this is not Boum-Boum," and he went away.

"I shall never see Boum-Boum again," repeated the little one, who was now talking in a vacant way; "perhaps Boum-Boum will be there where I am going soon."

But suddenly—scarcely an hour since the clown had left them—the door opened, and there, in his tight-fitting spangles, the yellow tuft of hair on his head, the gilt butterfly on his back, a great smile, like the slit of a money box, on his jolly, powdered face, stood Boum-Boum—the real Boum-Boum of the circus, the favorite of the people, little Francois' Boum-Boum!

On his little white bed the child clapped his thin little hands, the joy of life in his eyes, laughing, happy and saved, crying out: "Bravo! It is Boum-Boum this time! Dear Boum-Boum! Long live Boum-Boum! Good-day, Boum-Boum!"

When the doctor returned later on he found, seated at Francois' bedside, a clown with a white face, who was making the little chap laugh and laugh again. As he stirred a piece of sugar in a glass of medicine, the clown said: "Now, you know, if you don't drink this, little Francois, Boum-Boum will never come again."

And the child drank it.

"Isn't it nice?"

"Very nice, thank you, Boum-Boum."

"Doctor," said the clown to the physician, "don't be jealous. It seems to me that my grimaces do him as much good as your prescriptions."

The father and mother were crying, but this time it was from joy. Until little Francois was able to walk again a carriage stopped every day before the workman's house in the Rue des Abbesses, and a man with a conical powdered face got out, wrapped in a long overcoat, with the collar turned up, and under it a circus costume.

"What can we give you, sir?" said Jacques Legrand, at last, when Francois had had his first walk; "for we certainly owe you much."

The clown held out his large, strong hands to the parents. "A handshake!" said he.—Translated from the French.

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### "The Story of a Home."

Dr. Carter Helm Jones, pastor of the First Baptist church of Louisville, will deliver his lecture "The Story of a Home," at the Pembroke Opera House April 12, under the auspices of the Library Committee.

### CIRCLE MEETING

To Be Held at Olivet Church  
April 29-30, 1936.

In a recent issue of the Kentuckian we stated that Bethel Association would meet with Olivet Baptist church, near Howell, April 29 and 30. This was incorrect, we should have said the Circle Meeting would be held at Olivet church on these dates. Bethel Association meets in this city in August. Following is the program for the Circle Meeting to be held at Olivet church Saturday and Sunday, April 29th and 30th:

1. The Anti-Saloon League; Objects and Work—J. F. Garnett, Edgar Radford.
2. Work of Our Kentucky Mission Schools—J. D. Clardy, P. B. Grant.
3. What is the Woman's Missionary Union Doing for Missions?—J. A. Kirtley.
4. Worth of the Family Altar in the Home—R. C. Gary, G. H. Stowe.
5. The Busy Man and Bible Study—S. J. Lowry, Ernest Stegar.
6. Possibilities for Soul-Saving in the Sunday School—J. F. Dixon, W. W. Radford.
7. Possibilities for Training in Sunday School—H. C. McGill. Sermon—J. W. Hazel.

### Paralyzed.

Mr. Henry Talbott was partially paralyzed last Monday. For awhile he could not utter a word, but now his utterances can be partly understood. He is 73 years of age and is now quite feeble. He thinks his trouble is the result of a fall received during the sleet in February.

### PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Miss Martha Wallis has returned from a visit to Pembroke.  
Miss Cornelia DeTreville is visiting friends in Nashville.  
Mr. Louis Waller, of Madisonville, spent Thursday in the city.  
Mrs. Gentry Hillman, of Birmingham, Ala., is here on a visit to her brothers.  
Mrs. Susie Stites left last night to visit her sons, who are at school in Georgetown, Ky.

Mr. J. B. Allensworth has returned from a business trip to Texas.

Miss Jean McKee spent this week with Mrs. Holland Garnett, in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Samuel returned to Knoxville Thursday after a visit to the family of Mr. H. M. Frankel.

Mr. H. C. Meuth, advance agent of "Cinderella," was in the city yesterday, perfecting arrangements for his company's return visit next week.

Tom Watson, who has been employed at the local I. C. office for some time, has been promoted to the position of night ticket agent for the company at Paducah. He will be succeeded here by J. A. Smith, of Slaughterville.

Mr. Beale Smith's many friends will be glad to learn that he has nearly recovered from his recent attack of typhoid pneumonia at Cairo, Ill. He is now at the home of Mr. D. W. Kitchen, on South Virginia street.

### BAD HEALTH

Causes Pastor to Resign  
Charge of His Churches.

The Rev. Smith Givens, who had been pastor of the Methodist churches on the Cerulean Springs circuit for several months, resigned on account of poor health and has moved to Arkansas. He is succeeded on the circuit by the Rev. Joseph Randolph.

Kress' Easter Sale Monday, April 9 to 14. Great values for little money.

### CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Horrible Fate of L. & N.  
Flagman at Guthrie.

Robert Rye, flagman on the L. & N. accommodation running between Paris and Nashville, was instantly killed at Guthrie Thursday morning. He was in the act of making a coupling, when he was caught between the cars and his head was horribly crushed. Rye was 25 years old and leaves a wife and two children.

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### Arvin-Fowler.

Mr. J. S. Arvin and Miss Hattie L. Fowler, of South Christian, were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon. The wedding occurred at the home of the bride, near Casky.

### Married in Clarksville.

Leslie Sargent and Miss Florence Vass, young people of near Fairview, were married in Clarksville Thursday.

Kress' Millinery Opening to-day, at 10 o'clock. A treat for all to see what a value you have in a hat for 25 cents.

### PROMINENT EDUCATOR

Appointed Superintendent of  
Trigg County Schools.

Prof. B. E. Thom, of Cerulean Springs, was yesterday appointed county school superintendent by County Judge Bingham to succeed Alfred Cunningham, deceased, says the Cadiz Record. Prof. Thom at once qualified, with Alex. Wallace, J. W. McKinney and E. E. Wash as sureties and entered upon the discharge of his duties.

Prof. Thom is one of the foremost educators of the county and state. He has long been closely identified with the public school work, and will no doubt prove a worthy successor to the lamented Cunningham. He was a candidate for the position before the primary last year, and was defeated by only a hundred votes out of a total of over sixteen hundred in one of the most hotly contested races in the county's history.

Prof. Thom has been principal of the Lafayette schools since last fall, though his home was at Cerulean Springs, in Trigg county.

### STORES CROWDED.

Hundreds of Ladies Attend  
Spring Openings.

Wednesday and Thursday were "Millinery Opening Days" with Campbell & Co., Miss Fannie B. Rogers and Mrs. E. Keegan. On the first day their stores were crowded from early morning until late in the afternoon, and notwithstanding the very inclement weather of Thursday, hundreds of ladies visited the establishments to view the handsome displays and make purchases. J. H. Anderson & Co., Davis & Doss and Miss Sallie B. Hooser & Co. had their formal opening of millinery last week, mention of which was made in the Kentuckian at the time.

### Dangerously Ill.

Mrs. Tom Baker, of Cerulean, is very low with stomach trouble, and is not expected to live. She is a daughter of Esq. G. E. Baynham, formerly of Cadiz.—Cadiz Record.

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